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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

ALLSTATE INSURANCE COMPANY, an  
Illinois Corporation,

Plaintiff,

vs.

RONALD J. HAAN, CINTHIA HAAN,  
STEPHEN DUKKER, SYNDA CON  
CORPORATION, and DOES 1 through 20,  
inclusive,

Defendants.

Case No. 05-4948 CRB

REQUEST FOR DISMISSAL WITHOUT  
PREJUDICE OF DEFENDANT STEPHEN  
DUKKER ONLY

Pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 41(a)(1), plaintiff Allstate Insurance Company hereby dismisses defendant Stephen Dukker without prejudice, each side to bear its own costs and attorneys fees. Defendant Dukker has not filed an answer or summary judgment motion or otherwise appeared in this action.

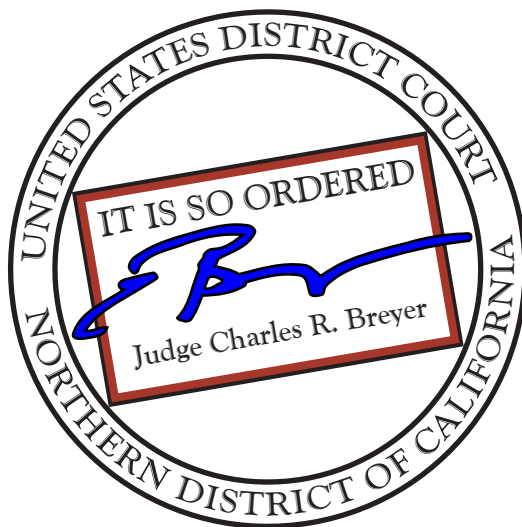
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